

MEDICAL RECORD

Pain Screening & Initial Assessment

DATE: _____

PAIN SCREENING QUESTIONS: (if yes to either question, proceed to INITIAL PAIN ASSESSMENT)

- Are you experiencing pain now? ☐ YES ☐ NO
- Are you currently being treated for pain? ☐ YES ☐ NO

INITIAL PAIN ASSESSMENT

(complete diagram at right if patient affirms they have pain or are being treated for pain) →

PAIN INTENSITY (identify pain intensity instrument used)

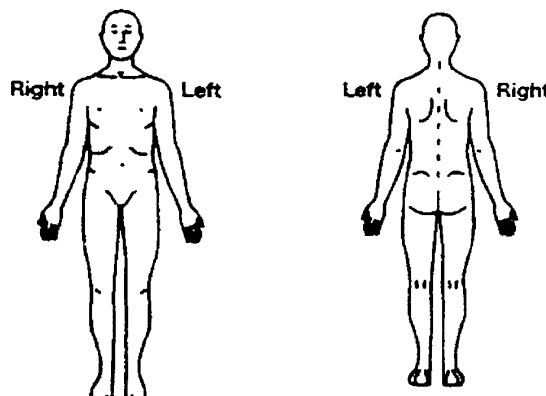
- ☐ Numeric Rating Scale
- ☐ Wong-Baker Faces
- ☐ FLACC Scale
- ☐ Oucher Scale
- ☐ Checklist of Non-Verbal Indicators
- ☐ COMFORT Scale
- ☐ CRIES Scale

Pain Level at Present: _____ Pain Level at Best: _____

Pain Level at Worst: _____ Acceptable Level of Pain: _____

INITIAL PAIN ASSESSMENT

Location (Mark or describe the location of pain):



IDENTIFY CURRENT AND PAST PAIN INTERVENTIONS (indicate interventions that have been ineffective)

PAIN INTERVENTIONS	CURRENT INTERVENTIONS (Check all that apply)	INEFFECTIVE (check only if ineffective)	PAST INTERVENTIONS (Check all that apply)	INEFFECTIVE (check only if ineffective)
Medications	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Herbals	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Surgery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Acupressure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Acupuncture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Biofeedback	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cold or Heat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Distraction or Play	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exercise	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Food	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hypnosis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Massage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Occupational Therapy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Physical Therapy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pet Therapy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recreation Therapy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Positioning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Psychotherapy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Relaxation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TENS Unit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (specify):				

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- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> None | <input type="checkbox"/> Emotional Issues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disease Process | <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Issues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Treatment Side Effects | <input type="checkbox"/> Spiritual Issues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medication Side Effects | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

QUALITY OF PAIN:

- | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aching | <input type="checkbox"/> Dull | <input type="checkbox"/> Pinching | <input type="checkbox"/> Pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Tender |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burning | <input type="checkbox"/> Electric shock | <input type="checkbox"/> Pounding | <input type="checkbox"/> Sharp | <input type="checkbox"/> Throbbing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cramping | <input type="checkbox"/> Gnawing | <input type="checkbox"/> Pressing | <input type="checkbox"/> Shooting | <input type="checkbox"/> Tight |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crushing | <input type="checkbox"/> Knot-like | <input type="checkbox"/> Prickling | <input type="checkbox"/> Stabbing | <input type="checkbox"/> Tingling |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Deep | <input type="checkbox"/> Pins & needles | <input type="checkbox"/> Pulsing | <input type="checkbox"/> Stretching | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

DESCRIBE PATTERN OF PAIN (onset, frequency, duration):**EFFECTS OF PAIN ON QUALITY OF LIFE:**

- | | | | |
|---|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Activities of Daily Living | <input type="checkbox"/> Emotions or mood | <input type="checkbox"/> Mobility | <input type="checkbox"/> Work/School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appetite | <input type="checkbox"/> Enjoyment | <input type="checkbox"/> Relationship with others | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Concentration | <input type="checkbox"/> Intimacy/Sexual Relations | <input type="checkbox"/> Sleep | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bowel or Bladder | <input type="checkbox"/> Memory | <input type="checkbox"/> Spirituality | |

PATIENT'S PAIN GOAL (in their own words):**INTERVENTION(S) PROVIDED TODAY:****EVALUATION AND FOLLOW-UP:**_____
Signature_____
Print Name_____
Date

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